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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND INFRASTRUCTURE  
(PG 10)

Subj: ABBREVIATED ACQUISITION PROGRAM DESIGNATION FOR THE COMMON  
LOGISTICS COMMAND AND CONTROL SYSTEM (CLC2S)

Ref: (a) Ltr 5000 PG10 of 25 Mar 04  
(b) Milestone Decision Process Guide  
(c) U.S. Marine Corps Acquisition Procedures Handbook  
(d) SECNAVINST 5000.2, Chapter 2.4.6  
(e) TM 4420-15/1, Life Cycle Logistics Support and  
the Material Fielding Process

1. Per references (a) through (d), I designate the Common Logistics Command and Control System (CLC2S) an Information Technology (IT) Abbreviated Acquisition Program (AAP) and delegate Program Decision Authority (PDA) to you.

2. As PDA, you shall apply accepted acquisition management principles and sound business practices in accordance with references (b), (c), and (d).

3. References (c) and (d) outline required AAP processes and procedures. Manage the program in accordance with these guidelines and sound business practices. Address all applicable requirements in reference (e) before fielding the CLC2S.

4. Continue to coordinate with the Marine Corps Operational Test and Evaluation Activity (MCOTEA). Provide them with an opportunity to participate in the planning and execution of all programmatic decisions relative to testing and evaluation including:

- overall test strategy,
- risk mitigation, and
- developmental and limited user tests.

5. Return to me immediately for further guidance in the event that any substantive programmatic issues arise. This includes, but is not limited to, deviations from the schedule, cost, and performance parameters established in reference (a) and supporting documentation, or if the program costs are expected to exceed AAP thresholds.

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6. Thoroughly document all your activities and decisions as PDA. Provide copies of all program decisions to the Assistant Commander Programs (AC PROG). Ensure that all program information in the Command Automated Program System (CAPS) is current, accurate, and complete.

  
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